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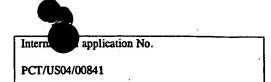
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Box No. II Priority	Priority				
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Box No. IV Lack of	Lack of unity of invention				
	Reasoned statement under Rule 43bis.1(a)(i) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement				
Box No. VI Certain	Certain documents cited				
Box No. VII Certain	Certain defects in the international application				
Box No. VIII Certain observations on the international application					
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Box No. V Reasoned statement under Rule 43 bis.1(a)(i) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement 1. Statement YES Claims 1-29 Novelty (N) NO Claims NONE Claims 1-29 YES Inventive step (IS) NO Claims NONE Claims 1-29 YES Industrial applicability (IA) Claims NONE NO

2. Citations and explanations:

Claims 1-29 meet the criteria set out in PCT Article 33(2)-(3), because the prior art does not teach or fairly suggest the preparation of industrial compounds that are olefins via isomerzing unsaturated compounds and then reacting said isomerized compounds with unsaturated compounds.

Claims 1-29 meet the criteria set out in PCT Article 33(4), and thus the claims have industrial applicability because the subject matter claimed can be made or used in industry.